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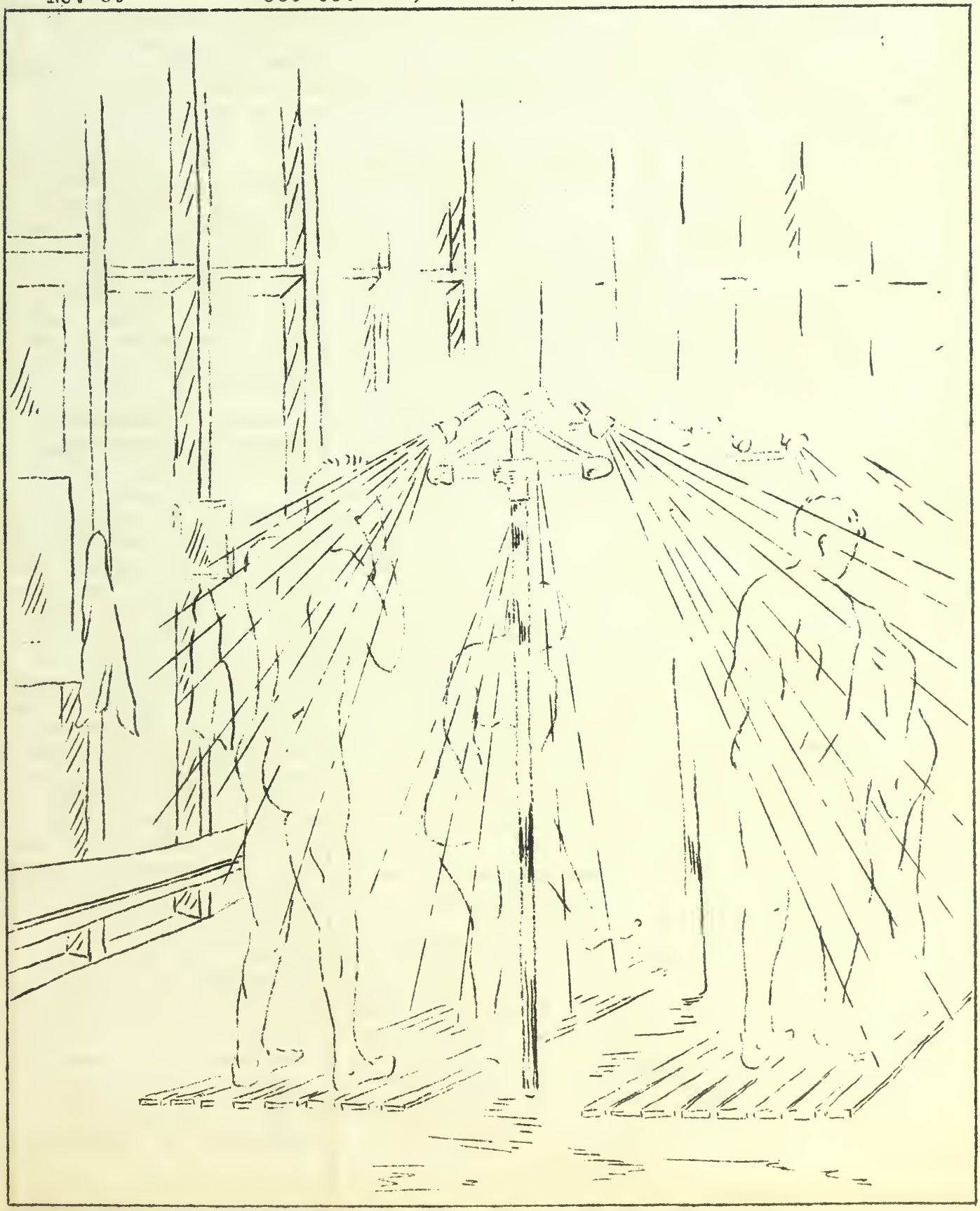

TRIP TO MIAMI HERALD PLANNED

CANTEEN ORDERS JUNGLE AND BUCK HATS

The Matheson Hammocks may not be situated in Equatorial Africa nor along the banks of the Amazon in South America nor even in the East Indies or the South Sea Isles, but that needn't discourage sales of "Jungle" or "Buck" hats to be sold in the Canteen.

The Canteen placed a large order for these head gears with intentions of selling them at relatively low rates. Prices as quoted by Lieut. Rudnitsky will be 25¢ and 50¢ each. These hats will be sold in the Canteen immediately upon receipt of the consignment.

Patronize your Canteen!

SEBRING MEN ENJOY THEIR STAY HERE

The concensus of opinion among the visitants of Sebring augers well of the impression they will bring back with them to their camp. Practically every one--if notall--expressed his satisfaction and stamped his approval over the general situation that exists here.

Tabulations show a total of nineteen men were lodged in the barracks at one time disregarding the later arrivals who swelled the number.

MEMBERS OF THE EVERGLADE STAFF TO MAKE TRIP

Tentative plans have been arranged for members of the Everglade staff to visit the Miami-Herald newspaper plant in the near future. No definite date has been decided upon but it is expected to be settled for an early visit.

The tour of inspection as contemplated includes a trip through all the departments connected with the publishing and editing of the newspaper from the time the news items reach the offices until they emerge as a finished product on the front page.

SUPPLY OF NEW BOOKS RECEIVED

As part of its extension program the Educational Department obtained a batch of 85 new books which will be placed on the shelves of the library for circulation as soon as book cards are made out and new shelves built.

This collection is composed of a wide assortment of fiction novels. Several of the books taken at random are listed below:

Ann Vickers by Sinclair Lewis; The King's Minion, Rafael Sabatini; Aren't Men Rascals? a book chock full of irrepressible humor; Arizona Ames and the Border Legion, both by Zane Grey and Mystery of the Peacock's Eye, Flynn.

RECORD STAY

When Drab dissociated himself from active life in this camp last Monday evening he took with him a record for continuous service unsurpassed by anyone.

His stay broke by one day that held jointly with Limbacher and Peterson .

PANETTA RAPIDLY RECOVERING FROM INJURY

Panetta is rapidly recovering from the effects of the recent accident in which he suffered a compound fracture of his left leg and minor bruises to the right after a heavy boxing ring he and other CCC men were unloading from a truck prior to putting it up, slipped from their grasp dropping upon him as he stood motionless unable to escape in time.

Doctors express confidence that the leg will heal perfectly without any apparent deformity to mar his gait when he regains the use of his limbs.

Posco merely rolls over in his bed and dislocates a shoulder.

TWENTY-ONE OUT OF TWENTY-THREE PASS THE FIRST AID TEST

Ninety-one percent or twenty-one out of a total twenty-three men who took the First Aid test brought their ten weeks study of the subject to a successful conclusion. Of the men who passed four had perfect papers and the rest ranged down to a low passing mark of seventy-five.

Dr. Batten expressed satisfaction over the results and announced that First Aid Certificates will be issued to the twenty-one students who passed.

BOUDET TO TAKE A VACATION

With the approval of the higher authorities a certainty, Mr. Boudet will be granted a seven day leave of absence beginning the thirteenth of this week.

On his short vacation he will girdle the state of Florida stopping only long enough to drink in the intoxicating beauty of some of the more important resorts which dot the Floridian coast line.

In his absence Mr. Hutto will take over the burden of his duties.

Hager, Ponn, and Zorovich spent the week-end at the Matheson Hammocks with "Pop" Sweet in the absence of Brown

Hic!... Mebee the feush ish wet!

CAMPBELL NEW G.I. TRUCK DRIVER

Campbell was appointed the regular G.I. truck driver replacing Bennet who after almost a year of steady operation is now working at the project.

"PINKY" BLINN RETURNED AS CANTEEN STEWARD

Restoration of "Pinky" Blinn to his old job as Canteen Steward followed lose on the heels "Barney" Sutfin's transferrance to the clerk's department where he will assist Harry Aronow.

"Pinky" began his new duties today as the official Canteen Steward.

SMITHENDORF AND MAGEE BECOME FULL FLEDGED LIFE GUARDS

One week of hard work in a swimming pool spiced with a little pleasure now and then was the course Magee and Smithendorf swallowed for one solid week as they trained for the life saving tests which they eventually passed with flying colors during the week ending June 29 at Fort Scriven, Ga.

According to both their return jaunt by easy stages, stopping at various camps on the way home, was unimpressive. They further emphasized the contention that our camp can compare with any.

Editorials

"EVERGLADE"

Weekly newspaper of CCC Co. 269, Miami, Florida
C.O. Capt. R. E. Freeman, M.A. Boudet Adviser, Vargo Editor
ASSOCIATES:
Piestrak, Colangelo, Beatty, Loper, Pascoe, Mallette, Rodrigues
Grossfelt, Opatovsky

WHAT ARE YOUR PROBLEMS?

My purpose in camp is to cooperate with the CCC's in the cause of education. I have met very few of you men but I expect to meet all of you eventually. I want each and every one of you too feel free about coming in to see me and discussing your educational problems. If I can be of help to you at any time in any phase of education whether it be subject matter, or educational problems of financial or scholastic nature,please do not hesitate to call on me----because, men, that is what I am here for.

Proper education is the only adequate means of elevating one to a higher economic, social and intellectual plane. We all desire to better ourselves. Who has respect for a man who is willing to mark time in mental stagnation while the rest of the world marches on to a more worthy economic and intellectual accomplishment? Answer: No one--and even unto himself, he is an enemy.

The schedule as we will begin, and which will be enlarged later,calls for classes in Geography, Latin, American History, Typing, and Debating. All interested in these courses, or any other subject, should sign up with either myself, Assist. CEA Vargo, or CEA Boudet as soon as possible. Victor Hutto

OUR CONDOLENCES

It is with deepest regret that we except the inevitable passing of Phillips whose untimely death yesterday cast a pall of gloom and sorrow over his friends in Company 269.

To his family it is an irreparable loss, and we extend to them our profound sympathy in their bereavement of their beloved son--- and our buddy.

Company 269

AMERICAN LEGION THANKS MEN

The cooperation several members of this company accorded the American Legion last July fourth was highly appreciated and we were urgently asked to thank them on its behalf.

The Legion further expressed its satisfaction over their conduct and said that in the future as in the past it will rely upon the manpower of the CCC for aid when the occassion demands.

Few words these but they connote more than just a mere jumble of laudatory words. A little reflection will clearly outline the sentiments the people of Miami manifest towards us. What the Legion has said is representative of what others say.--let's keep up the good work.

EDUCATIONAL

MR. VICTOR HUTTO OUTLINES HIS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

The following are the courses which I will teach and some idea of the way the instructions will follow.

1. Latin American History.

Enlarging on the conquest of Mexico and Peru and revealing the great civilizations which the white man found among the Aztecs of Mexico, Mayas of Yucatan, Incas of Peru--proclaimed by many historians as the most amazing chapter in all history. This will be a thorough study of the native Indian life with special emphasis as to their advanced state of civilization.

2. Geography

Special emphasis upon economic geography to enumerate the resources of the several continents and the opportunities for engineering and industrial achievement which these great fields will offer to youth when they are tapped and developed.

A course will also be offered in Elementary Law--in which special emphasis is laid upon Criminal Law; Debating, which will not only show how to think on one's feet but also to put self-expression in the most convincing form. Typing, which is a practical course for any student. The system used is the rythm method--that used by nearly all speed and accuracy typing champions. A course in business letter writing will also be offered. In addition to these courses, students who are interested in any subject are urged to contact me so that provisions may be made for either private or class instruction.

FIRE PREVENTION METHODS DISCUSSED AT LENGTH AT SAFETY MEETING

M. A. Boudet read a Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting circular to a group of leaders, assistant leaders, the officers and superintendent of the camp in opening discussions on Safety First questions that beset this company because of the inflamability of our barracks and tents last Saturday morning. Chairman Capt. Freeman followed by urging men to suggest ideas for formation of a workable fire drill system and said that fire drills will be practiced regularly as a safeguard against possible confusion in case of an actual fire.

Mr. Phillips, camp superintendent, warned of the dangers attached to throwing lighted matches and cigarettes in Matheson Hammocks. He also added that a provision in the Matheson Hammocks deed states that in case of destruction by fire the whole tract reverts back to the grantor and so the men working at the project are requested to be more careful when handling inflammable substances or are smoking.

QUOTATIONS THAT COULD FIT THE MAN

R-F-D

We're all ears, "Ears":--

I'll always stand on a box if I can find it. I am full of interesting ideas for bettering this world in which we live, and would like, above all, nothing better than to bring to the attention of our Park Service some of the mistakes made in Greynolds Park.

"SOAP BOX EARS"

When it comes to riding airplanes I prefer the ground. And when it comes to driving automobiles--I hate them--I become terrified, which is unfortunate because I dislike walking even worse...But no, on second thought, I think it a great pity that I let the G.I. truck slip through my fingers.

W.B.

"However, perhaps I can regain your respect by telling you that I'm a pretty good fisherman."

Jack the Cook

Last week's "Who's Who"

Dauria, Fontanini, Chester, Foggia, Brinkman, Dr. Batten, Binder, and Blinn.

PAUL DuBOIS ENJOYS TAMPA TRIP

Paul DuBois trekked to Tampa for a short stay over the weekend and returned today to resume his duties as Mess Sergeant. While away Jack Verhine acted in his behalf.

CLASSROOM RAPIDLY TAKING SHAPE

Construction of the class-room got underway yesterday and according to Mr. Queen, carpenter of the project, work is being rushed to complete it by the middle of this week.

Sessions will be held in the Educational Tent for the time being.

DYNAMITE

I'm afraid we've got the girlish craze in us today:.....

What would "Tarzen's" girl friend say if she had seen him Tuesday night? Oh you heartbreaker..... It seems that Carl Olsen got himself a girl friend at last, but it also seems that the fact isn't much of a secret although he would very much have liked it to be for a while at least....Looks like Walter Bennet is doing Fritz out of his lady bird. How dy you do it Ben?.....Marg wants you fellows to know that she has given her man the air and is looking for another one. Who is going to be the lucky one?.....When told that Marty went home a certain girl put a sad look on her face and said sorrowfully, "Gee, just as I was beginning to like him too"!.....Mallette, Cox and Zarkowski tried too hard to take a corner on two wheels and failed miserably as evidenced by the conditon their car is now in. Take a good look at it in the garage.....Why does Gratitude say that he drank thirty-nine cups of beer when he really drank but ten, and then he was doing tricks.

A certain fellow said, that if given a chance he could take Loper's woman away from him. Look out Loper.

It is understood that sixty percent of Mr. Boudet left on the 8:30 AM train one day last week for a vacation to Plant City, Fla. What does that mean?.....Captain Freeman must have had a busier day than usual last Friday. We overheard him orate as he slept that night but we're sorry to say that it was too inarticulate for us to understand.....Fitzgerald is coming along fine since he left the hospital. He's recuperating from an illness he says the Docs have no name for.....

And so we bid PHILLIPS a happy journey to---?

Joe Colangelo

SPORT

DIAMOND BALLERS ENJOY BUSY WEEK

The company diamond ball team enjoyed its most busy week thus far since this sport got underway. Four games were played and of these three of them were decisive wins for the CCC while the other was a four inning 2 to 0 loss game being called because of rain.

The Banana Supply Co. team, as usual, took a severe lacing in both their games with the camp team, scores being 14 to 8 and 16 to 10.

Uleta was the other unfortunate scalp added to an increasing number of victories for our diamond ballers. This fray ended in a 10-4 score.

Saturday night, however, a team from Key West competed against the CCC's in a battle that promised to be a very interesting had not rain interfered in the fourth inning. The Key Westers were leading at the time 2-0. By far this was the best game of the week and real sorrow was registered by most of the players in that the game could not be continued.

In the City Recreation League the company nine has won 2 games and lost none to take undisputed possession of first place. If rain permits, more games will follow this week.

JOHNNY KOZIATEK LOSES BOUT AT OJUS

Johnny Koziatek couldn't resist the urge to don the gloves while the rest of his teammates remained idle, nor the pounding in his heart that seemed to tell him he was made of the same stuff heroes are born with so he stepped into the ring at the Fulford Firehouse and meekly submitted his head to Jake Alleben for some target practice,-- and defeat.

The truth of the matter was that "Rub" was handing "Jake" a systematic and thorough beating until the same apparently seemed to affect Jake's memory for he completely forgot some very important boxing rules and proceeded to batter "Rub" into peaceful oblivion.

Incidentally, other members of the boxing team put on some very nice exhibition bouts, and, wonder of wonders, the crowd liked them.

CCC IN FIFTH PLACE

Statistics show the CCC lodged in fifth place in the Dade county League standing with 5 wins and 4 defeats. The team still has a fighting chance for no team in the upper bracket has lost less than 4 games, the same number as the CCC lost.

GAMES DURING WEEK

On the 4th our baseball team rambled to the Wildcat field and there took over the wildcat team in two close and exciting games. The score of the first game was 4 to 3 and the second ended 9 to 6.

The Company team led through out the first game behind the masterful pitching of Lazinski, who managed to collect 3 hits while holding the Wildcats to 8. Half the Wildcat's hits coming in the last frame.

The second game proved a different story. It took a seven run rally in the 6th to win the game. After one was out in the 6th, consecutive hits by Lazinski, Vargo Shaw, Sobczindki, coupled with a lone fly, an error, a walk and two more hits brought in 7 runs. Lazinski again got 3 hits, and Heidrich ended the game with an unassisted double play.

Saturday the team won its second consecutive game in the City League. It was a long uninteresting game finally ending with a score of 19-5. Piestrack, on the mound for the CCC was never in-trouble and allowed 6 hits while striking out 5. Heidrich, Vargo, and Zgoda led the camp team at bat with two hits.

HUMOR

LOPER RODRIGUES OPATOVSKY

GAGS

A FAST TAIL

JONES: "That horse of mine beat the best five horses in the state by twenty lengths."
ROSA: "That's nothing. I once rode a horse that stopped coming down the stretch and gave birth to a colt and then she went ahead and won the race by five lengths."
JONES: "Wonderful horse."
ROSA: "Sure was. And that colt jumped right up and came in second."

MAROZSEK'S THEME SONG

I'm coming, I'm coming
And I have the ready dough,
I hear those dominoes a calling
Come on "Old Black Joe".

BARED AT THE LAST

BOSCO: "Minskys had a good burlesque show this winter."
FONTANINI: "Yeh,--just one take off after another."

STAMP OF APPROVAL

LAIRD: "Dapski, what's the difference between a champagne cork and a baby?"
DAPSKI: "That's an easy one, the champagne cork has the maker's name stamped on the bottom."

ONLY ONE FAULT

CHESTER: "hy don't you become a singer?"
SPINACH: "I would if it wasn't for my voice."

LOPER

CLUB NEWS

BAR FLIES

The Bar Flies are still going strong, they have voted in another member, P.J. McCann, a full blooded Irishman who likes his beer, and to the older members it seems he is going to be a good and regular Bar Fly.

The Bar Flies now have a total of twenty-two members. It won't be long before we reach our membership goal set at twenty-five.

This was the 10th meeting the Bar Flies have held since its organization.

THE BEER PARTY

Saturday saw the Bar Flies at Hollywood on a stag beer party. Everything went along smoothly in a legitimate way in the beginning until the boys began to get soused. Beatty passed out three times, so did Vic Columbus.

The strangest part of the carouse was Vic's marathon laugh. For three hours straight he laughed and laughed. Once he stopped long enough to say that he felt awfully funny inside, and then began his sarcastic laughing again. Well the boys all had a good time and returned home safely without any mishap.

Sunday the Bar Flies visited Tahiti Beach at the price of only twent-five cents for admissionfor each individual. And it was well worth the quarter as Cox and Chester will testify.

Opatovsky
Club Reporter

LOVE FOLLOWS NO PATH

"Going to the Miami Retreat, eh? Don't you realize this is the day of worship?" said Howard to another. And the other beamed: "Of course I do. The girl I worship is going to be there."